

Appendix table 1—Rural share of selected programs, fiscal year 1996

Agency <sup>1</sup> and program	1996 funding <sup>2</sup>	Nonmetro counties	Rural States
	Billions of dollars	Percent	
<b>General assistance:</b>			
HUD State/Small Cities Community Development Block Grants (CDBG)	1.135	—	24.5
EDA adjustment assistance—			
Planning support	.021	61.4	34.1
Technical assistance	.011	25.7	22.2
Special economic development and adjustment assistance <sup>3</sup>	.185	25.2	13.7
FEMA disaster relief	2.516	—	9.5
USDA/CSREES extension activities <sup>4</sup>	.407	29.6	27.0
BIA Native American assistance programs	.418	—	39.8
<b>Infrastructure assistance:</b>			
USDA/RUS Programs—			
Rural Water and Waste Disposal Grants	.348	78.2	26.8
Rural Water and Waste Disposal Direct Loans	.581	73.3	25.1
Rural Water and Waste Guaranteed Loans	.059	97.1	.5
Rural Electrification Loans and Loan Guarantees <sup>4</sup>	.699	70.8	27.4
Rural Telecommunication Loans and Loan Guarantees <sup>4</sup>	.457	59.9	19.0
Distance Learning and Medical Link Grants	.008	84.8	34.9
USDA/RHS programs—			
Rural Community Facilities Direct Loans	1.250	77.7	23.9
Rural Community Facilities Loan Guarantees	.053	80.5	28.5
DOT Highway Planning and Construction Grants	18.162	26.3	16.4
DOT Airport Improvement Grants <sup>1</sup>	1.179	13.0	20.2
DOT Nonurban Public Transportation	.139	—	20.1
EPA Clean Water State Revolving Fund	.222	—	10.8
EDA Public Works Grants	.161	55.4	25.3

See notes at end of table.

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## Appendix A: Rural Share of Selected Programs

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Agency <sup>1</sup> and program	1996 funding <sup>2</sup>	Nonmetro counties	Rural States
	Billions of dollars	Percent	
<b>Business assistance:</b>			
SBA Small Business Loan Guarantees—7(a)	7.092	18.5	12.0
SBA Certified Development Loan Company guarantees (section 504)	2.782	15.7	12.4
SBA disaster loans—			
Economic Injury Disaster Loans	.119	46.1	14.4
Physical Disaster Loans	1.224	15.2	5.9
USDA/RBS Programs—			
Business and Industry Loan Guarantees	.609	58.2	29.2
Intermediary Relending Program Loan Guarantees	.037	72.2	30.3
Rural Business Enterprise Grants (RBEG)	.044	70.3	31.7
EDA Special Economic Development and Adjustment Assistance <sup>5</sup>	.185	25.2	13.7
<b>Housing assistance:</b>			
USDA/RHS Single Family Housing (section 502)—			
Direct Loans and Guarantees	2.663	42.3	22.3
USDA/RHS Multifamily Housing (section 515)	.147	69.7	26.8
VA Guaranteed and Insured Housing Loans	10.504	11.0	11.7
HUD/FHA Single-Family Mortgage Insurance	59.133	5.8	7.9
HUD mortgage insurance for low/moderate income families	.102	19.0	12.0
HUD Public and Indian Housing	3.349	16.1	10.3
Share of U.S. population, 1996 <sup>6</sup>	NA	20.3	11.4

— = Data not accurate at the county level.

NA=Not applicable.

<sup>1</sup>Agency abbreviations in table are HUD = U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development; EDA = Economic Development Administration (U.S. Department of Commerce); FEMA = Federal Emergency Management Agency; USDA = U.S. Department of Agriculture; CSREES = Cooperative State Research, Education, and Extension Service; RBS = Rural Business-Cooperative Service; RUS = Rural Utilities Service; RHS = Rural Housing Service; BIA = Bureau of Indian Affairs (U.S. Department of the Interior); DOT = U.S. Department of Transportation; EPA = Environmental Protection Agency; SBA = Small Business Administration; FHA = Federal Housing Administration; VA = U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs.

<sup>2</sup>Dollar amounts are for the U.S. total (includes both metro and nonmetro) for fiscal year 1996. Because the data source is the Bureau of the Census, these totals may differ from those cited from other sources.

<sup>3</sup>Includes economic and defense adjustment.

<sup>4</sup>Federal Funds data covering CSREES extension activities (includes research) and RUS electric and telephone loans only track funds to the county where central offices are located. The services provided by these programs often cover multicounty areas; hence, these data probably understate the extent to which nonmetro counties benefit from the programs.

<sup>5</sup>The percentages reported here refer to the entire Special Economic Development and Adjustment Assistance program, which includes both economic adjustment and defense adjustment (this program was also reported earlier under general business assistance).

<sup>6</sup>Data for calendar year 1996.

Source: Calculated by ERS using Federal Funds data from the Bureau of the Census.